

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (Currently Amended) A thermoplastic resin composition, which is a copolymer comprising:

[A] 100 parts by weight of a polyacetal resin or thermoplastic aromatic polyester resin,

[B] 0.1 to 20 parts by weight of a graft polymer in which (B-2) a vinyl (co)polymer component comprising at least one vinyl compound is graft-polymerized on (B-1) an olefin polymer as a backbone polymer, and

[C] 0.1 to 10 parts by weight of a non-grafted liquid ethylene/ $\alpha$ -olefin random copolymer comprising consisting of ethylene, and an  $\alpha$ -olefin having 3 to 20 carbon atoms, and optionally a non-conjugated diene, said copolymer formed by a process consisting of copolymerization of said ethylene,  $\alpha$ -olefin and optionally said non-conjugate diene components, which random copolymer has:

(i) a proportion of a structural unit derived from ethylene of from 20 to 80 mol% and a proportion of a structural unit derived from  $\alpha$ -olefin of from 20 to 80 mol% based on all structural units, with said structural units of ethylene and  $\alpha$ -olefin being present in a total amount ranging from 90 to 100 mol%,

(ii) a number average molecular weight ( $M_n$ ) of from 500 to 10000,

(iii) a molecular weight distribution ( $M_w/M_n$ ) determined by a ratio of a weight average molecular weight ( $M_w$ ) to a number average molecular weight ( $M_n$ ) of from 1.2 to 3, and

(iv) a pour point of lower than 20°C.

2. (Original) The thermoplastic resin composition according to claim 1 wherein the graft copolymer [B] is a graft copolymer obtainable by graft copolymerization of at least one monomer selected from the group consisting of vinyl aromatic compounds, vinyl cyanide compounds and (meth)acrylic ester compounds, in the presence of a butadiene-containing rubber.

3. (Original) The thermoplastic resin composition according to claim 1 or 2 wherein the graft copolymer [B] is an ABS resin.

4. (Previously Presented) The thermoplastic resin composition according to claim 1 or 2 wherein the thermoplastic aromatic polyester resin component [A] is polybutylene terephthalate.

5. (Previously Presented) The thermoplastic resin composition according to claim 1 or 2 wherein the liquid

ethylene/ $\alpha$ -olefin random copolymer component [C] is a liquid ethylene/propylene copolymer.

6. (Previously Presented) The thermoplastic resin composition according to claim 3 wherein the thermoplastic aromatic polyester resin component [A] is polybutylene terephthalate.

7. (Previously Presented) The thermoplastic resin composition according to claim 3 wherein the liquid ethylene/ $\alpha$ -olefin random copolymer component [C] is a liquid ethylene/propylene copolymer.

8. (Previously Presented) The thermoplastic resin composition according to claim 4 wherein the liquid ethylene/ $\alpha$ -olefin random copolymer component [C] is a liquid ethylene/propylene copolymer.